

## Steamer Sunk.

## FOUR HUNDRED DROWNED.

The steamer La Bourgogne was sunk in a collision yesterday off Sable Island, south of Nova Scotia. Four hundred were drowned.

Fifteen Montserratians were lost on La Bourgogne. Matteo Feurich gave a graphic account of the disaster. He said: "I was on deck at the time. Everything was going along smoothly, although it was very foggy, when I saw a ship loom up right in front. It was then actually scraping the starboard side of La Bourgogne. I heard people on board shout in English. I knew it would be a British vessel and ran forward to see what had happened. The steamer at the starboard side was broken into at the water's edge. Plates were cracked and warped and rivets broken and drawn. The hole was eight or ten feet big and water was pouring in fast. Then I went aft again but could not see anyone in charge, only a terror-stricken crowd of passengers. No command was being given and no system prevailed. I went to the hurricane deck and started to cut away lashings from a boat there. While I was doing so some sailors or firemen came and cut away life rafts and two boats. I had my boat nearly cleared, but just then I was driven away. I went further on and saw a raft on skids. By this time the steamer was listed. I could not walk straight. In fact one could hardly keep on one's feet. I was chased away from the raft and ran aft again. I saw some men, passengers, ten or twelve, got a boat around. Someone said 'cut forward guy from davit.' I crept on my hands and knees and did so. Men, women and children were all around calling upon God for help. It was pitiful, but we could not help anybody. We were in a bad plight ourselves. I hung on to the guy rope and by it swung myself into the boat. There were nineteen or twenty of us in the boat. By this time the steamer was so listed that people could not keep their feet, but were sliding shrieking into the water. They called for help but none came. I saw some crowds start to lower other boats as the ship sank, but they could not. We were only three yards away when the steamer went down. Her main trunk almost striking our boat. Our escape was miraculous, for if it had struck none would have escaped. La Bourgogne settled down into the water at an angle of 65 degrees. We could just see her second smoke stack, then her bow came up perpendicular. The steamer seemed to stand there for an instant and then disappeared stern first.

## TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, July 7, '98.

Reported that General Pando is dead. Col. Hutton is likely to succeed Gen. Gascoigne.

There is a political crisis or revolution feared in Spain.

The United States wounded are arriving at Key West from Cuba.

The Spanish cruisers Reine Mercedes and Alphonso XIII have been destroyed.

Domestic finances will probably exhibit a surplus of a million for the last fiscal year.

A resolution to annex Hawaii passed the United States senate by a vote of 42 to 21.

President McKinley has issued a proclamation of thanksgiving for the United States victory.

Reported that the Cuban insurgents refused to obey the orders of the United States officers.

## LOCAL.

COM. HERCHMER arrived on Monday's train.

A MILLIGAN arrived from Chipewyan last night.

E. LADOCHE, trader, of Lac la Biche, is in town with fur.

CLOVER Bar post office was removed to I. S. Doxey place on July 1st.

REV. D. G. McQUEEN returned from Red Deer on Wednesday's train.

MISS McMASTER teacher in the Edmonton public school went east last week.

MR. BRYAN, principal of Edmonton public school, went east last week, for his holidays.

ORANGE picnic on Tuesday next on the grounds of the South Edmonton agricultural society.

MESSRS. Legrandeur & Gray traders of Peace river, left for Slave lake yesterday, by the new trail taking a team and wagon.

W. GREYER arrived from Grand Rapids last night. The Sparrow had not yet succeeded in getting over Grand Rapids when he left.

WINNIPEG fair excursions begin on Saturday. Rate \$22 for the round trip, until Wednesday, the 29th. Tuesday's train will also carry passengers at the excursion rate.

A GERMAN settler named Schmitke was drowned on July 1st, in a lake in the Rosenthal district of Stony Plain. He went in bathing with A. Daneshauer and was seized with cramps.

FOUR bands of southern horses are for sale at Edmonton. One by Dave Stewart of Macleod, one by D. Allison of Pincher Creek, one from the Judith Basin, Montana, and one from Helena, Montana.

TUESDAY and Wednesday next, of exhibition week, in Winnipeg Grand opera house, Ysaye, violinist; Gerardy, cellist; and Lechaume, pianist. All visitors to the fair should hear these great world artists.

MONDAY's train brought an addition of 150 souls to the Galician population of the district. These people are a part of the number quarantined in Winnipeg on account of smallpox. A child in the party died on Tuesday morning.

LIVESTOCK, the private mail carrier from Slave lake last week and returned by the same route. He is a son of the late Sam Livingstone of Calgary, who mined on the Saskatchewan in the very early days.

This railway survey parties of Messrs. Dibble and Dupont are all ready to pull out for Peace river. Their freight has gone by the Landing. Fred Brick, contractor. The men will go overland by the new trail to Slave lake with the horses. Both parties will go direct to the junction of the Finlay and Parsnip rivers, west of the Rockies. Mr. Dupont's party will come east from there exploring for a railway line through the Peace river pass. Mr. Dibble will go northwest towards Telegraph Creek. They expect to start to-morrow.

Const. Butler returned to Lesser Slave lake last week.

Miss ALICE McDONALD returned from Toronto on Monday's train.

Edmonton commences Monday and continues until Saturday.

Is Edmonton to have a fall fair this year? Now is the time to begin preparations.

The Winnipeg Tribune reports a find of placer gold north east of Prince Albert.

T. S. GOSNELL, of the inland revenue department, Calgary, came up on last night's train.

At Wetaskiwin on Monday last a woman was committed to police custody as a dangerous lunatic.

ED. TAYLOR, manager of the H. B. Co. store, Calgary, came up on Monday's train and returned this morning.

A NEW Galician settlement has been formed on the south branch of the Saskatchewan at Fish Creek. There are about 300 families.

LIEUTENANT General Seymour, in command of the British troops in Canada has been appointed administrator, pending the appointment of a successor to Lord Aberdeen as governor general.

THE Athabasca stage has ceased making regular trips on Tuesdays, but the company is still willing to contract for the quick transport of passengers or express from Edmonton to the Landing.

THE Winnipeg Tribune says: 300 Galicians, after being subjected to medicated baths and general disinfection of clothing, were sent out from the smallpox quarantine to their destinations at Yorkton and Greenfield. About 100 more will leave the quarantine on Saturday.

THE agricultural machinery dealers report a most satisfactory season so far. Sales have doubled or more than doubled those of last year up to date, and much of the purchases have been paid for in full. On all very satisfactory cash payments have been made. Enquiries for binders are being made at a rate which indicates that the farmers have lots of faith in the present season's crop.

AN Ottawa despatch to the Winnipeg Tribune says: There are some 800 Galician immigrants on their way to Canada. It is understood that the department of the interior has given instructions to their agents not to send out any more of this class of settlers this season, as they have more on their hands now than they can get comfortably located before the winter sets in.

Geo. PUGH sends a letter to J. R. Turnbull from near Fort Liard, on March 12th. Purchased the Stephen-Hewey party at Simpson and joined a miner named George Filerdeau, formerly of St. Albert.

They tracked up the Liard with a boat loaded with 1,700 pounds, and reached a point five miles from Fort Liard on Oct. 20th. He expresses himself as satisfied with the route and the progress made. He expected to start on the Liard about May 10th. His objective point was the upper waters of the Liard.

## ENTERTAINMENT.

Fred Emerson Brooks, poet-orator, gave one of his original entertainments in Robertson hall last evening. The audience was small, but those who were there pitied those who were not, for it was one of the best entertainments ever presented in Edmonton. Mr. Brooks has all the gifts of poet, orator and artist, and in his reproduction of his own poetry he is inimitable. He must be seen and heard to be appreciated. He gives another entertainment in South Edmonton to-night and will appear in Robertson hall on Friday night. Fail to hear him and you miss a treat.

## IMMIGRATION ARRIVALS.

Mrs. W. Mason and two daughters and Mrs. F. Pearce, from Cook County, Illinois, came to join their husbands.

Mrs. G. Oliver and two children, from Wisconsin, came to join her husband.

Mr. A. Natriel and four children, from Montreal.

T. Clark and E. C. Roberts, from Wisconsin.

T. McLaggan and wife, of Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan.

F. F. Drudgeon, from Sandridge, Ont., with one car of settlers effects.

Lenox MacFarlane, from Dublin, Ireland, has come to look over the Alberta district with a view of settling.

## JULY FOURTH.

The American prospectors in town took a sudden resolution on Monday morning last to celebrate their national holiday. In making their arrangements and carrying them through they showed that they had all the go and get there generally credited to the American people. The Jasper House was made the focus of the celebration. The balcony was tastefully draped with red, white and blue and all the American flags that could be secured up in town were displayed from the building and on a line stretched across the street. Every American citizen wore a miniature American flag at his button hole. The Edmonton band was engaged, a stock of fire works secured, and a set of four anvils provided with which to fire a salute. The anvils were fired in the vacant space east of Robertson Hall and nearly in front of the Jasper House and the fire works were set off at the same place. The anvil firing began about seven o'clock and the band took their places on the Jasper House balcony and began playing all the American airs they knew shortly afterwards. The fireworks were set off about 9:30 and were a very fine display both in quality and quantity, and included a number of hot air balloons. At ten o'clock, J. H. Ross, M. L. A., of the Northwest executive, and Frank Oliver, M. P., by request of the celebration committee, gave short addresses, in which they expressed pleasure at the presence of so many Americans aiding to develop the resources of the country, and wished them all success. They also expressed sympathy with the United

States in the present war, believing that the success of American arms meant the advancement of civilization and liberty. The utmost good feeling prevailed throughout the evening. There was a large crowd of spectators. By special request of the celebration committee the proceedings were closed by the band playing "God Save the Queen," the crowd standing with uncovered heads.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Edmonton, '98. July 5th-9th. Candidates.

Third class certificate:

Edith A. Bellamy, Edmonton.

Lottie McKay, Edmonton.

Harriet Oliver, Edmonton.

Lottie Chegwin, South Edmonton.

Aggie Kettys, South Edmonton.

Ellen J. McCartney, S. Edmonton.

Thos. F. Carscadden, Clover Bar.

Minnie J. Fotherston, Leduc.

Harriet McCallum, Beaver lake.

Lillian E. Wallis, Partridge Hill.

Second class certificate:

Hattie E. Bamber, Edmonton.

Chas. W. Richardson, Edmonton.

Margaret N. Young, Edmonton.

Kate Timney, Edmonton.

May T. Hayden, South Edmonton.

Geo. Durrand, South Edmonton.

Belle M. Durrand, South Edmonton.

Robt. B. Ritchie, South Edmonton.

First class certificate:

F. R. F. McKittrick, Poplar Lake.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST.

Escaped from its cage at the residence of Mrs. F. Armstrong, on Monday, the 4th inst., a canary bird, mottled yellow and green. A suitable reward will be paid for its return to 75-3 MRS. OSTRANDER, Edmonton.

STOLEN OR STOLEN.

At the race track, Edmonton, on July 1st, one red horse about 15 hands high, few scars on forehead, branded with star connecting two half circles on left shoulder. When lost, had saddle and bridle on. A reward of \$5.00 will be paid for information leading to his recovery. 75-7 OCTAVE BELLEROSE, St. Albert.

TO THE ELECTORS

OF THE VICTORIA DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN: At the request of a large number of the Electors in various portions of the district, I have consented to once more present myself for re-election.

I hope shortly to have the pleasure of meeting each of you, and of discussing this notice so that there can be no misconception.

Yours obediently,

F. FRASER TIMS, M. L. A.

TEACHER WANTED.

For Public Protestant School District No. 91, Fort Saskatchewan; first class professional certificate; duties to commence after the summer vacation. Applications, with copies of testimonials, received until July 10th. Applicants to state salary.

71-4 H. E. DANIEL, Sec'y, Fort Saskatchewan.

Dr. Lake, Dentist, will visit Fort Saskatchewan on Friday and Saturday, (July 8th and 9th) when he can be seen at his rooms in the Mansion House. Come early. Those desiring sittings with Dr. Lake at the Edmonton office will kindly arrange for them a full week ahead, emergency cases excepted. Appointments by letter will be arranged for to best advantage.

MUSIC!

MR. JORDAN A. BEEBE,

Of Port Arthur, Ontario (formerly of the International Conservatory of Music, Bay City, Mich.), begs to inform those interested in Music that he is prepared to give tuition in Violin and Clarinet playing at moderate figures.

Pianos tuned in first-class style. Any messages may be left with Mr. K. W. Mackenzie, stationer, Main Street Edmonton.

ESTRAY.

Strayed from the premises of the undersigned Sec. 25-21, about June 28th, one black horse, six years old, weight about 1100 pounds, branded U with bar on left shoulder, an iron grey spot over left eye, also a little white on right hind foot. A suitable reward will be paid for his return or for information leading to his recovery.

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Do not fail to call and inspect goods before buying elsewhere.

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THE BIRKBECK WILL ASSIST YOU TO PURCHASE OR BUILD A HOME And do it on easy terms. If you are paying rent, and if you desire to own your own home, it will repay you to study the conditions upon which your loans are made. BE YOUR OWN LANDLORD! STOP PAYING RENT! THE BIRKBECK INVESTMENT, SECURITY AND SAVINGS COMPANY. Full Information on Application to C. de W. MACDONALD, Solicitor. 42 G. W. R. ALMON, Agent, Edmonton.

## Business Opening.

MR. HENRY SILVER

Will open in his new store, on Jasper Avenue, two doors east of McDougall & Secord's new brick block, about July 1st, with a full line of Fancy Confectionery (something new), and Fancy Goods.

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We have to-day received a consignment of the celebrated

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We keep the best Havana and Manila Cigars and everything in stock is first-class.

STOKES & CO.

ESTRAY.

Taken up on the premises of the undersigned, one black stallion, four white legs, white face, branded E on left shoulder. Owner is requested to reclaim same and pay expenses.

67-73 ED. CARNEY, St. Albert Trail.



## We Rise to Remark

That this is Fly-time, and to remind you that the best thing yet invented for catching flies is . . . . .

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## Sticky Fly Paper.

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June 3rd, 1898.

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## TO THE PUBLIC:

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Having been in the Jewelry business for the past seventeen years in the most reliable shops in some of the largest cities in EUROPE, UNITED STATES and CANADA, from which I have received diplomas and excellent references for my skilled mechanical work (I will submit to you my references if you desire) that proves that I am sufficiently master of my trade.

I make this class of work a distinct feature and give it my most scrupulous attention. I shall do my utmost to gain the confidence of all who favor me with their patronage.

Hoping to have a call from you, I remain

Yours respectfully,

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Practical Watchmaker and Jeweler.

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## NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that the Sale of lands for school taxes in Census R. C. Public School District No. 24, has been postponed to Saturday, July 10th, 1898, at the same hour and place.

SIMEON LANGLOIS, Treasurer.

67-72 June 25th, 1898.

## Cattle for Sale.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, JULY, 7TH 1898.

## FROM PORCUPINE RIVER.

W. S. Robertson has received a letter from his son, F. M. Robertson, dated from La Pierre's house on the waters of the Porcupine branch of the Yukon, on Feb. 4th. It will be remembered that Mr. Robertson left Edmonton about the middle of August last with the Segars Hardisty party bound for the Yukon by the Mackenzie river route. The party had reached the mouth of Red River, a westerly tributary of the Mackenzie on the evening of Sept. 29th. That night the river froze and winter set in. There is a Roman Catholic mission at the mouth of Red River. There they procured dog trains and hauled their outfit to Fort Macpherson on Peel river, 30 miles distant. This post was the point at which they had intended to winter. The distance from the mouth of Red River is much greater by water than by land. On reaching Peel river the intention of the party was to build a boat during the winter and cross over the divide to the Porcupine by way of Rat River and Bell river; but Mr. Robertson together with W. D. Matheson, his son Mel. Matheson, and Murdoch Sutherland, afterwards decided to cross the divide during the winter. They secured six more trains of dogs and purchased sufficient fish for them from the priest of the mission at Red River. With nine trains of dogs they left Peel river on November 20th and reached La Pierre's house on the Bell branch of the Porcupine, across the divide on Nov. 24th, without mishap. The distance is 60 to 80 miles. On the night they camped at the foot of the mountain the thermometer was 47 below and there was a high wind. They still had 15 sacks of flour at Peel river, and just before Christmas Mel. Matheson and Sutherland started to Peel river to bring it. They were caught in the mountains and were lost for six days. For three days they had nothing to eat but tobacco. They left dogs and sleighs in the mountains and finally got back to La Pierre's house. All the dogs except one found their way home. In a few days Sutherland started back with an Indian guide, got through all right and brought the flour back. At date of writing the party had logs out to be sawn into lumber for a boat. They expected to have six weeks start of their friends left at Peel river, in the spring; as they could not start until the ice was out of the Mackenzie. After seeing how successful Robertson and his friends were in getting across they wished to cross in the winter also, but could not get enough dog feed to enable them to make the trip. Robertson heard good reports about gold at Sucker river, and they would prospect it on their way down. The party were living very comfortably in a house belonging to the H. B. Co., 12x15, in which they had a good box stove. They had all the fresh meat they could use, killed by the Indians, and plenty of wood to burn.

Dr. Macdonald, late of Calgary, and of the Segars party, had made a trip from Fort Macpherson to the coast during the winter. He heard there that seven whaling ships and 16 men had been lost in the Arctic in the same storm that froze their party in on the Mackenzie. He also spoke of Walker having been sent out to San Francisco by way of Edmonton in order to have relief sent to the crews with the first open water. The crews, 300 men in all, were on half rations when Walker left them. It was not thought probable that Walker would make the trip.

Mr. Robertson mentions that the Stephen, Jenner and Graham parties, who started from Edmonton about the same time as they did went up the Liard.

The Hudson Bay mail was to leave Peel river on Feb. 15th, and no doubt the letter was written by Mr. Robertson for that mail and it took three and a half months in reaching its destination.

Mrs. W. D. Matheson is in receipt of a letter from her husband, dated from La Pierre's house, Porcupine river, on Jan. 9th. Mr. Matheson was well satisfied with the progress the party had made and expected to be in Dawson by June 15th. The news in his letter corroborated that in F. M. Robertson's letter.

## FROM HERSCHELL ISLAND.

F. A. Hardisty writes to Dr. McInnis from Herschell Island in the Arctic ocean, west of the mouth of the Mackenzie, under date of Jan. 18th. Mr. Hardisty was one of a party headed by Capt. Segars, which left Edmonton in August last bound for Dawson by way of Peel river. They reached Fort Macpherson on Peel river in eight days from Fort Simpson; distance 780 miles. A fair wind enabled them to make such quick time. They were delayed two and a half days on the way and arrived just in time, before winter set in. The whole trip from Edmonton

occupied just five weeks and four days, of which 29 were days of actual travel.

Mr. Hardisty says: This is undoubtedly the route to go to the Yukon, as it is simple, easy and economical and also quick. We were rendered every kindness by the H. B. Co. officials all the way. At Macpherson we are well housed in a building of the H. B. Co. loaned us free by Mr. Firth, the officer in charge. We have an organ in the house, also a kettle drum, so we have plenty of music. In buying an outfit parties should bring a small amount of trade goods with them to pay for guides, meat, etc. Tea and tobacco should be purchased in double quantities. A few cheap pipes and handkerchiefs should be taken. We disposed of our old clothes at good figures. Don't forget six inch pally blocks, plenty of inch rope, a few carpenter's tools and some mosquito bar. Mosquitoes are in millions in this country even on the Arctic coast. Rains, and lime juice are much used by the whalers for the prevention of scurvy.

We have already whip sawn all the lumber for our new boat which is to be named the "Gold pan." The captain has worked outside every day this winter at carpenter work for ourselves and Rev. Mr. Stringer. We keep ourselves busy hauling and cutting firewood. So far the winter has been as mild as any I ever spent in Edmonton. Only once has the thermometer been 40 below zero, once 39 and once 37. On Christmas week it averaged 21 above the whole week. I was much disappointed at the lack of total darkness here at mid winter. Macpherson is 100 miles within the Arctic circle, and Dec. 22nd; there was about five hours daylight; and it seemed as though the sun could be seen if it were not for the hills and trees in the way. On Christmas day the sun was visible for about two hours.

On Dec. 31st, I left Macpherson on a visit to Herschell Island in company with three Esquimaux who had come from the coast. A jollier lot of fellows than these three huskies I never travelled with. They surprised me very much by their intelligence, modesty and truthfulness. Though we nearly starved before we reached the coast they did not mind and did their best for me, giving me the lion's share, but I would not take it. They are most kind to their dogs and never whip or abuse them. One of them "Oolak" could speak very fair English. In fact English is spoken by a great many of them. The Huskies are the most independent native people from Labrador to the Pacific. They are all well off and are never in want. They always have plenty of provisions. They are well armed with Winchester rifles purchased from the whalers.

On arriving at the coast I put up at the house of a man named Howland, who could not do enough for me. He kept me three days till I recruited up a bit, for I was pretty weak and hungry. He also supplied me with grub when I left for the island, which is 70 miles from his place. I tell you this because he is going out to Edmonton next summer, and if you are there I want you to give him any help or assistance you can, as he has never been in Canada.

I enjoyed sleeping in the igloos (snow houses) as there was no wood, and the wind blew hard all the time on the coast. On arriving at Herschell Island (lat. 68.13) I was received like a king. The ship captains vied with each other for my company, until they were likely to give me the swelled head. Only two ships are here this winter. Four are wintering at Point Bathurst. Five are to westward, all caught in the ice. They will surely go to pieces when the ice breaks up in summer. One has sunk, one has been crushed and one burned. All the crews, 180 men, are on short allowance for 11 months. I am staying with Rev. Mr. Stringer and he is living in the whaling company's house. Twenty-seven below zero is the coldest day as yet here, though there was an exceptionally early winter. The ships were just harbored in time, Sept. 13th. Yesterday (Jan. 17th) I enjoyed a good game of base ball. I played without gloves and wore no more clothes than I would in Edmonton. They have a billiard hall here and it helps a great deal to pass away the long hours. The sun showed himself here for the first time in six weeks on the 14th inst. The aurora is beautiful and wonderful. A hissing noise is sometimes heard from it. It travels with amazing rapidity and is of all colors. There are very few ice bergs in view and there are small. I was nearly scared out of a year's growth the day I crossed from Cape point to the Island, 22 miles, I was walking ahead of the dogs, thinking, when all of a sudden the Arctic ocean cracked under my feet. My long hair stood on end, my teeth chattered, my toe nails rattled. I was simply paralyzed. It was like the report of 10,000 bombs. I thought I was food for whales.

I dined off Polar bear meat yesterday and it was good. There is plenty of deer meat. The ships have about 10,000 pounds already. They use an enormous quantity of provisions here. Everything is by the ton. Beef, vegetables, fruits, canned meat of all kinds. About 10 gallons of coal oil a day is consumed at this place. Coal is used for fuel. I will start in a few

days for Banks' land, about 400 miles to eastward along the coast, and will not be back for three months. I am having a good time.

One thing I forgot to tell you, next spring when we leave Macpherson by boat we may not have to portage our boat at all, as quite often East and West Rat river are connected in spring. Therefore there is a likelihood of our going right through without portaging at all. The party split at Macpherson, W. D. Matheson, Mel. Matheson, Fred Robertson and Murdoch Sutherland have gone by themselves. Our party now is: Capt. Segars, Dr. Macdonald, Sam McNeill, Fred Taylor, A. Adamson and myself.

Mr. Hardisty asked to be remembered to all friends.

## The Latest.

We have just received our Complete Stock of Summer Clothing, on which we can give special values.

Call in and see our stock.

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## FOR SALE!

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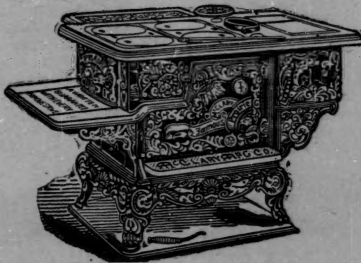
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## GRAND RAPIDS.

June 5th, 1898.

Special correspondence.

The rush is still on. They come and go, day in and day out, but not so numerous as a week ago. Still they are coming around the bend, put ashore and walk down to view the sights. They find plenty to see and ponder over. On their way back they call in at the police shack to enquire about pilots, fees, and without an exception want to know if the other rapids are like this one, and so on. The police shack here is a general directory, hospital, post office, sitting room, half-way house, observatory and news factory, combined. Never a day passes without at least twenty-five enquiries about when the mail is going out? When it is coming back? To the above questions no intelligent answer can be given, as the delivery of mail in this section is an act of charity, conferred upon the sender by some poor half breed who will, in a half starved condition, undertake to track a boat to the Landing, some 180 miles as they travel, for no other consideration than a square meal or two and a familiar slap on the back.

The H. B. Co. tramway prices have been cut from \$5.00 a ton to \$3.00 a ton. Boats are charged \$5.00 to \$10.00 each according to size and weight. It is a little late in the day, as a great many dollars worth of business has been packed over by people who thought the price unreasonable.

Ed. Nagle, trader of Resolution, has a team of horses with him which he is taking to Smith portage for portage purposes. This ought to be a good thing for Nagle. Taking horses by boat is an experiment on these waters, and so far Mr. Nagle has had most excellent luck.

A party of Minneapolis boys ran on a rock at the Pelican rapids. There was no particular danger to the boat at the time. However, it was a new experience and looked a trifle dark. While the cloud of imaginary peril was moving over them, one of the crew reached wildly around and the first awful that he threw over consisted of the following articles: Four pair moccasins, a coat, a small hat, a towel, an old newspaper and a pair of shoes.

Another man on another boat while in the same fix picked up a dog and sprung upon the gunwale and then overboard. The dog got safely to shore. The man drifted with the current and managed to get upon a rock. It took 100 feet of rope and a bit of argument to get him ashore.

Mr. Phillips, the government steamboat inspector, is here with W. T. Livock's party on his way down the river as far as his duties call him.

The "Que Vadis" a boat built on an altogether new line, for Mr. Clatworthy, arrived here on the 1st of June, after being 29 days out from the Landing. He claims to have discovered rocks in the river that heretofore have been unknown to the oldest river man in these parts. His statement is credited here, as he has but one of the original planks left in his boat.

The "Sparrow" arrived on the morning of the 4th, everything aboard O. K. Mr. Leitch is on the look out for a good pilot to take him to McMurray. "Billy" Clark is by long odds the best hustler on the river. He is at present at McMurray or on his way back. Mr. Leitch will require the very best man he can get.

The Stewart party, of Hamilton, are over the island portage and are getting in shape for the run to McMurray. They are well, and General Stewart as large as life.

June 12, '98.

Mr. Epton, a member of the Leitch party of the steamer Sparrow, while making a trip to Grand Island from the steamer with freight, slipped on a plank and falling heavily on a snubbing post broke two small ribs. Dr. Sayers, the steamer's surgeon, attended him. He is doing nicely and will be around shortly.

The water in the river is rising rapidly and at present is at a fair stage. The Sparrow, with a draught of two feet, is slowly making her way down Grand rapids.

Mr. Nagle got away from the big eddy on the morning of the 19th, getting past the rapids here safely.

The H. B. Co. transport did not have the best of luck. While running No. 2, a fine new sturgeon head boat, over the Little Grand the pilot missed his footing, while sparring off a bad rock, causing the boat to strike hard. The water, at that point, is very swift. The boat went over. The occupants with much difficulty reached shore with a rope, but it was impossible to hold the boat. It was carried away, with the entire cargo of 150 pieces, —15,000 pounds. All but three were recovered further down the river, more or less damaged by water.

A heavy hail storm is raging here today, some of the hailstones being quite large. Your correspondent takes a 7 1/2 hat, 62 of the stones filled it to the brim. Some Klondikers sojourning here have donned their arctic clothes. A glimpse at one of them would make you think it was 70 below.

The weather here has been quite cool for the past week. It is a relief that providence has bestowed upon a suffering and sweating community from mosquitoes that run 90 bushels to the

acres. A poor crop the natives here say.

The arrivals here are thinning out. Still there are a quite a number coming. The big rush is due at Fort Smith about the 3th of June. Those coming now and later on will make better time, as the blockade is off and the stage of water good.

## FINLAY RIVER NEWS.

F. M. Baker, an account of whose accident in Finlay rapids appeared in last issue, left Edmonton with three other men on March 6th, with horses and sleighs. They reached Fort St. John on April 7th. They lay at St. John until the ice went out. They then started to track their supplies up the river in a boat, but had only reached the mouth of Cache Creek when they met high water and could not track further. They landed and packed from Cache Creek to the head of Rocky Mountain portage, about forty miles, with horses. They built a boat at the head of the portage and tracked up the Peace to the Finlay. At the Rapids Que ne parle pas, where the Peace leaves the Rocky Mountains, they portaged their goods, about half a mile. At the Finlay rapid, at the western edge of the mountains, they attempted to tow the boat fully loaded up the rapid, with the result that it upset and almost all their supplies were lost. They only saved about 600 pounds of provisions. Mr. Baker says they themselves were to blame. They did not understand boating in rapids, and took chances they should not have taken. They should have done as they had at the first named and only other rapid they had to contend with above the Rocky Mountain portage,—that is portaged all or part of their cargo. Three of the party bought a dug out canoe from an Indian and taking most of the provisions started up the Finlay for Fort Graham, which was their objective point. Their intention was to reach a party of five who had gone from California to the Finlay by the Ashcroft route in the summer of '96 and who had written to Baker and his friends to come on and to take the Edmonton route. Baker started down the Peace for Edmonton on June 13th reaching here on Wednesday, June 29th as already stated, having only been delayed one day at Slave lake. He will start back in about ten days with three tons of supplies. The party intend to remain out two years. The Johnson party, of St. John, N. B., and the Dykeman party, of St. Paul, about 18 men in all, had also reached the Finlay before he left. It was estimated that about 125 men had started for Fort Graham by pack trail through the Laurier pass from Fort St. John. He also met several parties going up the Peace in boats as he was coming down making for the same point. Baker is thoroughly satisfied that there are good diggings in the country contiguous to Fort Graham. So many men are now going in that it will be well prospected this season.

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There has been considerable dispute as to the merits of drilling versus broadcast sowing. It is conceded that the grain put in with the press drill did better during the early part of the dry weather but the advocates of broadcast sowing say that later on the broadcast sowed grain gained on that which had been drilled, so that it is now equal with or ahead of it. The rain which has fallen in the Edmonton district has been sufficient for the present and everything is showing rapid and satisfactory growth.

## SLAVE LAKE ROAD.

Albert Foley, whose father has the ferry on the Pembina river, arrived on Tuesday evening from Swan river, on the Slave lake trail. He left Swan river on July 1st. He drove out to that point with freight and reports the road not bad for carts with light loads. On the way out he met a man riding in from Lesser Slave lake, who said the road was opened all the way to Slave lake except the last 30 miles, and was fairly good. Foley reported the road worst between the Pembina and the Athabasca.

Insp. Snyder had reached Lesser Slave lake when Fred Brick passed there last week. He went out by the new trail.

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### EDITOR BULLETIN.

DEAR SIR: It may interest some of your readers to learn that our steam launch "Kenneth L." arrived safely at the Landing. Great credit is due Mr. S. F. McCauley in the skilful manner in which it was brought here without a scratch, and without taking off the top. Mr. McCauley had also charge of the launching and did it in A-1 style. We strongly recommend his services to other parties desiring the help of a thoroughly reliable man.

Yours truly,  
F. A. FRINGS.

### LETTER OF THANKS.

Edmonton, June 27, '98.

REV. J. DYKE.—Dear Sir, The members of the Edmonton band, beg to tender you their sincere thanks for the music stand sent them, not so much for its intrinsic value, but for the kind expression of appreciation of our efforts, continued in your letter.

Yours Respectfully,  
GEORGE THOMSON.  
Secy., Edmonton Band.

## MACKENZIE AND YUKON.

Mr. Robertson describes the summer route from the waters of the Mackenzie to those of the Yukon as follows: Down Peel river, 14 miles, to Rat river thence up Rat river to Bell lake; thence over a mile portage to Bell river; thence down Bell river to the Porcupine. Neither Mr. Robertson nor Mr. Hardisty seem to entertain any doubt as to the possibility of taking boats and loads through. As they were on the ground at the time of writing their evidence must be considered conclusive.

## METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory Edmonton, for the dates given:

July.		Max.	Min.
Thursday, 30,		78	49
Friday, 1,		80	49
Saturday, 2,		76	50
Sunday, 3,		84	50
Monday, 4,			50

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